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IN THE  
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Inventor(s): Jordi Ferran

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Application No.: 10/683,817

Examiner: Williams, Howard L.

Filing Date: 10/10/2003

Group Art Unit: 2819

Title: Encoding System

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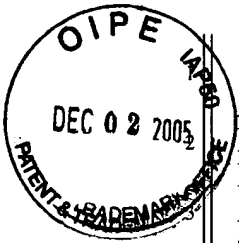
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